# Men on the Car Platform Thankful for Swamp=Root.

Attacked by Diseases Due to Cold, Exposure and the Terrible Strain of Their Work, Motormen and Conductors Are Made Strong by This Wonderful Remedy.

The daily work of a motorman is enough to break down a constitution of steel. He must face cold and storm day and night. Cooped up on his narrow platform, he must stand, while the bitter winds pierce him to the bone, no matter how heavy his clothing. Every minute he must be on the alert, and in the midst of suffering his judgment must be quick and sure, for an error may cost a human life. Tired and hungry after hours of work that keep his nerves tense as fiddle strings, he sits in the corner of a car to devour a cold. hasty meal from a tin pail. These brave men are exposed to risks as great as those of the battlefield. Fortunately, when nature can stand the strain no longer, the railroad men know where to find new strength and energy. The statements printed below tell of wonderful cures by Swamp-Root, the great Kidney Remedy.

# Swamp-Root Cured Me.

(TO A REPORTER.)

"Like magic fittingly describes the manner in which Swamp-Root cured me of poor digestion, coated tongue and loss of appetite, of many years standing. I tried



nearly every medicine for stomach trouble that was recommended to me, without relief, until I tried Swamp-Root on the advice of a friend. It did not require more than four bottles to set my stomach right, and for the past two months I have been eating 50c. bottle, which benefited me so with a relish anything set before greatly that, to make assurance me, something I had been unable doubly sure, I bought another, had no pain or ache since. It certo do previously for years. Am stronger than ever."

| Splendid Results Obtained by the Use of Swamp-Root.

(TO A REPORTER.)

"During the epidemic of grippe in 1889 I fell a victim; since then, at the change of the seasons-Spring and Fall-I suffered more or less severely with fearful pains in my bones, accompanied with a general exhaustion, sometimes so bad I would have to take to my bed. Last Fall I was threatened with the usual attack, and, hearing of the good results obtained through Swamp-Root, I bought a



that I have had no pain or ache since. Swamp-Root has my grate-

## Lame Back Cured by Swamp-Root.

(TO A REPORTER.)

"For a long time I suffered with backaches. I tried plasters, liniments and divers concoctions, ing so much about the merits of



wamp-Root, I thought I would give it a trial. Before finishing the first bottle the kink in my back had nearly disappeared; this encouraged me to use it faithfully. Five bottles cured me entirely, and although it is over six months since my recovery I have which cured me so effectually tainly affords me pleasure to indorse Swamp-Root."

1381 Herkimer St., B'klyn,

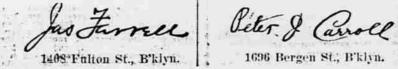
## Weak Kidneys Cured by Swamp-Root.

(TO A REPORTER.)

Outdoor workers of every kind escape grave without relief. Hearing and read dangers by taking Swamp-Root at the first sign of kidney or bladder trouble. Don't wait until to-morrow.



"In my case Swamp-Root was the one kidney remedy that cured me when all others utterly failed. I consider its effect on weak kidneys really wonderful and am pleased to indorse its merits. It



## Heartily Recommends Swamp-Root.

(TO A REPORTER.)

"Suffered a long time with gastric dyspepsia, which no remedy seemed to benefit, until I commenced taking Swamp-Root. I first tried a small sized bottle,



with such good results that I determined to try more, and it cured me so effectually that, though it is now nearly a year ago since my recovery, there has been no return of the dread gastric attacks. I take this means of showing my gratitude, and heartily recommend Swamp-Root to all suffering the same as I did."

# MAY HOLD CORN

Missouri World's Fair Commission Discusses Plans for Show Next Week.

FIGURING ON A BUILDING.

Prize Displays From Every County in State to Be Shown to Determine Questions Interesting Farmers.

on the Exposition grounds. ontemplated.

assion thought a building somewhere it venient for exhiitors, and the public generally. Cold weather and muddy reads might, it is thought, tend greatly to reduce the attendance at the show were i held on the Fair site. The show will be held February 16, 17

and 18. Already a great bulk of splendld specimens have arrived for exhibition and shpments are coming in every day. It is estimated that there will be more than 200 entries, representing every county According to Doctor H. J. Waters of

agr culture for the Missouri Commission, be exhibited will be as fine as any ever high degree of perfection attained in rais-

BIG PRIZE LIST. corn, best 100 ears-First prize, \$100; sec-ond, \$75; third, \$50; fourth, \$40; fifth, \$50; sixth, \$25; seventh, \$29; eighth, \$15; ninth, \$10; tenth, \$5. For the best 100 ears or more of yellow corn similar prizes will be more of yellow corn similar prizes will be given in the same consecutive order. In addition, tha best collections and display of different kinds of corn, not less than 120 ears of each variety or kind, to be made by an individual or county, will receive prizes as follows: First prize, \$199; second, \$50; third, \$25. For the best exhibit of large ears, not less than 100, \$25 will be awarded. The same amount will be given for the best collection, not less than 100, of long ears. A prize of \$25 is offered for the authentic record of the largest yield an acre in any year.

as the show will in a measure determine which county excels in the production of corn. The county shows were attended by 15,909 farmers, many of whom were actual exhibitors. An unusually large attendance of agriculturists from all parts of the State is expected at the St. Louis whom

show. The Missouri Commission has decided to make corn the chief feature of its agricultural exhibit, and has found that the best specimens can be secured by holding corn shows. When the exhibit is installed every county in the State will be represented, which is the first time in the history of expositions that this has been accomplished.

COMPREHENSIVE EXHIBIT. "Every variety of corn known in the country will be represented in the exhibit," said Doctor Waters, "and it will repre sent every shade and combination sent every shade and contained oc-color, such as black, blue, red, yellow, bronze and green. All together about \$8.00 will be expended in the corn shows, but the results will show that the investment is a good one.

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"The commission feels justified in making this outlay and emphasizing corn in view of the fact that Missouri last year surprised all other States in the Union in the production of this grain. This bumper crop showed an aggregate yield of 20,000,000 bushels, worth to the farmers more than \$100,000,000. This production was greater than the combined crops of thirty other States, including the whole of New England, Idaho, Rhode Island, Utah, Washington and Wyoming.

"At the World's Fair the great contest for supremacy as a corn State will be between Missouri, Illinois, Kansas, Iowa and Nebraska. So much interest in the improvement of corn has already been awakened through our corn shows and institutes that it is estimated that the farmers will derive a benefit during the next five years from this source that will more than pay back the State's appropriation of \$1,000,000 for the World's Fair.

"Missouri has always led in improved methods of corn growing. The soil is naturally adapted for the purpose, and the farmers are not satisfied with old methods. One man in Missouri grows annually more corn than is produced by Maine. Montana, Oregon, Idaho, Nevada, Rhode Island, Wyoming and Utah.

"Last year three boys, aged 9, 14 and 17 years, respectively, grew 569 acres of corn that yielded 24,156 bushels, for which they received \$1,356, inclusive of the rent of the land. This is the world's record in production per man, and was due to improved machinery manufactured in Missouri.

"At the show next week the commis-

"At the show next week the commission is offering a prize for authentic records of the largest yield of corn per acre. Already one unofficial report has been received from St. Charles County showing 133 bushels an acre on a two-acre field. The average of this State is less than thirty bushels per acre. It is expected that this prize will bring out some records of bumber yields which will make competing States look blue.

"Stalks of corn 18 feet high and 12 feet to the first ear will be on exhibition. Bigears, of which fifty will make a bushel, when 100 ordinary ears are required, will be shown. Ears 20 inches in length will be shown against ordinary cars which measure about 9 inches. Corn will be exhibited which will shell 56 bounds to the bushel, in other words, corn which has but 5 pounds of cob as compared with the average corn having 14 pounds of corn to the bushel.

"A striking feature of the exhibit will."

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"A striking feature of the exhibit will be displays made by Franklin, Gasconade. Warren and Lafayette counties of a variety of corn especially developed for the production of cobs which are used in making corneob pipes, know throughout the world as "Missouri meerschaum." In this exhibit the cobs are as large as the ordinary full ear of corn, notwithstanding the fact that they are covered with deep grains. In the market these cobs are of as much value as the grain itself."

Clyde Le Force Acquitted.

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Scarcely an hoor passes but some one on be heard telling their friends that bey were cured by the German-American

They treat chronic and special diseases of men, women and children, and can give as references thousands who have been cired, and who will gladly verify the assertions made. The German-American Dectors will examine you free of charge, and locate every ache and pain without asking a single question. To all who will call promptly they will give free treatment (medicines excepted). Please understand that this is not a charity offer, and no one should be too high-toned to accept the same. The German-American Doctors cure diseases of the eye, ear, nose and throat, asthma, heart, liver, stomach, kidney, bladder and bowel trouble, catarrh, rheumatism, sciatica, lumbago, bronchial, lung, blood, skin and nervous diseases, epilepsy, hysteria, cancer, rupture and recint troubles, as well as special diseases of men. If you cannot call, write in sacred confidence. Scores of people have been cured at home. The German-American Doctors are permanently located at 800 Gilve street, and are prepared to give as references thousands of people hroughout

Nearly 100 Members of Constabulary Desert, Taking Rifles, Ammunition and Cash.

RICARTE PROBABLY LEADER.

Two American Priests Have Been Fired Upon and Telegraph Lines Cut-Soldiers on Way to the Scene.

Manila, Feb. 9.-Seventeen members of the constabulary stationed at Vigan, one of the leading business centers of Luzon. have deserted, taking with them fifty rifles, 5.000 rounds of ammunition and \$700, obtained by looting the commissary depart-

The number of fugitives has since been augmented by a party of 89 escaping from the same quarter.

Governor Wright promptly requested military assistance, and Colonel Thomas Immediately dispatched a squadron of cavalry scouts in pursuit. Colonel Scott started to-day with a body of constab-

Late advices indicate that the revolt of the constabulary at Vigan has developed into a small uprising against the Americans and loyal Filipinos. Two American priests, Fathers McCloskey and Kirk, have been fired on, but no casualties are re-

The telegraph wires leading to the disturbed district have been cut. Ricarte, one of the former Filipino leadrs, it is believed, is at the head of this

# OPERATIONS A FAD.

Public Gradually Awakens to the Fact.

The latest fad in operations has been the appendicitis fad; before that the fad for rectal operations (piles, etc.) held sway. Hundreds of patients were frightened and hurried into hospitals, operated upon and robbed of their last dollar, when the trouble was a simple case of hemorrhoids or piles only, easily cured at home with a simple remedy costing but fifty cents a box.

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"I procured one fifty-cent box of Pyramio Pile Cure of my druggist, with the intentions of buying a larger box later, but was happliy surprised when I found that I was cured, and still have six 'pyramids' left out of the first and only box. I have not had the least sign of piles since I used this one box, which has been about two months; previous to using Pyramid two months; previous to using Pyramid Pile Cure I had the worst kind of biceding and protruding piles for over thirty-one years, and no one knows, except those who have had the piles, the pain and misery I enferted.

"I am a poor man, but have often said I would give a fortune, if I had it, to be cured for fifty cents. I should be very ungrateful if I did not thank you and give you every privilege to use my name and this letter, when I know there are so many who suffer as I did." J. A. Welsmiller, Ilib Biadensburg road, Washington, D. C. The Pyramid Drug Co. Marshall, Mich., publish a little book on the causes and cure of piles, which they will be glad to mail free to any applicant, and we advise all sufferers from this painful disease with the content of the piles.

# Why Swamp-Root Gives Strength.

Almost every one, from personal experience, knows that the effects of any kind of severe physical strain are felt, first of all, in the small of the back—in other words, in those Vital Organs, the Kidneys. This is as true in the case of the very powerful man as it is with one of less strength, and it is especially true whenever the kidneys are weak. Weak and unhealthy kidneys are responsible for more sickness and suffering than any other disease, therefore, when, through neglect or other causes, kidney trouble is permitted to continue fatal results are sure to follow.

SWAMP-ROOT STRENGTHENS THE KIDNEYS and through them helps all the other organs. When this wonderful medical discovery can put the numan body into condition to stand the hard work and the tremendous strain of the motormen, it is easy to understand now it has cured thousands upon thousands in the more ordinary and less strenuous walks of life.

No matter how many doctors you have tried—no matter how much money you have spent on other medicines—you really owe it to yourself and to your family to at least give Swamp-Root a trial. Its strongest friends to-day are those who had almost given up hope of ever becoming well again.

# To Prove What Swamp-Root Will Do for YOU, a Sample Bottle Will Be Sent Free by Mail.

NOTICE-Swamp-Root is the new discovery of the eminent kidney and bladder specialist, and is used in the leading hospitals, recommended by physicians in their private practice, and taken by doctors themselves, because they recognize in it the greatest and most successful remedy that has ever been discovered. So successful is Swamp-Root in promptly curing even the most distressing cases, that to prove its wonderful merits you may have a sample bottle and a book of valuable information, both sent absolutely free by mail. The book contains many of the thousands upon thousands of testimonial letters received from men and women cured. The value and success of Swamp-Root is so well known that our readers are advised to send for a sample bottle. In writing to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and say that you read this generous offer in "The St. Louis Daily Republic." This offer is guaranteed.

Don't make any mistake, but remember the name Swamp-Root, Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, and the address, Binghamton, N. Y. on every bottle-for sale at all Drug Stores-Fifty Cents and One Dollar.

Mrs. Norman's Suit for Tailor System Property on Trial.

The tral of the suit of Mrs. H. R. Norman against her daughter, Belle Kronck, and the latter's husband, H. S. Kronck for 6,000 pattern charts of the Norman tailor system, books and other property pertaining to the system, was begun in Judge Ryan's division of the Circuit Court yesterday, and will be on trial again to-Mrs. Kronek claims that she owns an interest in the business. This is denied by her mother.

Plano Dealers Meet. Piano manufacturers and salesmen of the United States, who were convened to discuss matters relating to that trade, met at the Planters Hotel yesterday, with B. F. Hollingsworh of Buffalo in the chair. The meeting adjourned without having ar-

MOTHER AGAINST DAUGHTER. Tived at any definite decision, and will meet again this afternoon.

\$20.00-Mardi Gras-\$20.00. New Orleans and return February via Illinois Central 9-15, returning March 5 by extension. Write or call for booklet.

TWO DIVORCE SUITS FILED Koch Says Wife Frequented Race Track.

Adolph Koch sued Mildred Koch for divorce in the Circuit Court yesterday, charging that she frequented the Delmar race track and spent his money and cursed race track and spent his money and cursed him because he did not buy a piano for her. He had to prepare his own meals, he avers. They were married June 30, 1902, and separated Janeary 21 last.

Aloise Donnelly avers that her husband. Francis, falled to support her. They were married January 25, 1963, and separated February 8, last Monday.

Varicocele

Cures without cutting in from 3 to 10 days.

**Blood Poison** 

# GIN FIGURES SET

Leaders Have Admitted.

PRICES MELT AWAY RAPIDLY.

Fluctuation in New Orleans Cov. ers Range of 115 Points-Sully Is Inactive Late in Day's - Trading.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. New York, Feb. 9 .- Another wild cotton market developed to-day, but, for the

which occurred a week ago, statistics played an important part in the specula-The proceedings in the pit were tametoward a higher level-until noon, when

to January 16. This was what the brokers had been wa'ting for, and they nervously received tile news. The first announcement was of 9,859,000 bales. This was met with greans from the buils. Then came an explanation that this amount did not count round

Some of the quicker-witted operators

## **EXPOSITION ATTORNEY** CONSULTS COUNTY COURT.

Transit Line, Closing Forsythe Ropleyard and Providing Special Police.

At a special session of the St. Louis County Court in Clayton yesterday to confer with Judge Franklin Ferriss, General Counsel for the World's Fair, four propositions were considered: First, the temporary closing of Forsythe boulevard: second, the changing of the route of the Clayton division of the Transit line; third, the establishment of a special county police system for the Exposition period, and, fourth, the establishment of county entrances.

Forsythe boulevard runs from Clayton to the Skinker road through the Exposi-tion grounds. Permission was asked to vacate it until sixty days after the closing of the Fair. Presiding Judge Heege said that the request had not been for mally granted, but that it would be. No action was taken on the proposition

to change the Transit route. Judge Fer-riss asked that permission be granted to run the Transit cars from the western terminus at the Log Cabin Club on the Clayton roud to Pennsyvania avenue and their transfer the passengers to the Sub-

Took Money From Under Pillow. Alto Pazs, Ili., Feb. 9.—Burglars entered the home of Anthony Friese last night and took \$20 from under his pillow and es-caped without rousing the family. Mr. Friese awake later in the night and found a lamp burning in an adjoining room. The burglar had fied. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

The Hot Springs of Argansas.

Owned by United States Government Ideal winier resort. Indorsed by Govern-ment for rheumatism and many other ills Golf. 100 hotels of all grades. For com-plete information address Bureau of Infor-mation, Hot Springs, Ark.

Fire at Ingraham, III.

Clay City, Ill., Feb. 9.-The large build-

ng owned and occupied by the Ingraham

Mercantile Company at Ingraham, Ill.

nine miles went of here, was destroyed by

fire at an early hour this morning. The fire originated in the poultry dressing es-tablishment adjoining. The dwelling and restaurant of Charles Turner also were burned. The total loss is estimated at

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REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

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Stricture cured in 15 days, with-out cutting, pain, drugs or detention from busi-Wasting

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Every vestige of pol-son removed from sys-tem without aid of mercury or polash.

Consultation is free and invited, and in consulting me you may be sure that nothing that science can devise or skill perfect has been left undone to afford you a speedy, safe and permanent cure.

WRITE me in full confidence, explaining your troubles as they appear to you, and receive by return mail my honest and candid opinion of your case, DR. COOK MEDICAL CO., GIO OLIVE STREET, ST. LOUIS, MO. Hours: Sa. m. to Sp. m. Sundays, 5 to 2 only.

# COTTON PIT WILD.

Indications Seem Favorable for Much Larger Crop Than Bull

first time since the break in the staple,

firefuntions of 25 to 40 points, and these Superintendent King read from the rostrum the monthly figures of the Census Bureau on the amount of cotton ginned

pales as half bales.

started to sell the market, when they were hushed by their associates, and noth-

urban cars without additional fare. An agreement to this effect has already been reached by the Transit and Suburban companies, subject to the approval of the ompanies, such County Court. It was decided that there would be two It was decided that there would's Fai It was decided that there would be two county entrances to the World's Fair grounds, one on Forsythe boulevard and the other at the junction of the Transit tracks and Pennsylvania avenue.

Three propositions as to the policing of the county were considered. The first was to have special policemen appointed by the Board of Police Commissioners in St. Louis at the expense of the county, as provided for in the Scheme and Charter, the second to have special deputies appointed by the Sheriff, and third, to have special Constables appointed. It is probable that the police inside the grounds will be appointed by the city authorities and special deputies for the territory continguous thereto appointed by the county authorities.

Another session of the court will be

ing was done until Superintendent King explained from the dispatches he held that the actual amount ginned was 9,485, 537 bales.

Immediately the market plunged downward, for the figures were regarded as extremely bearish. It meant a crop of between 10,100,000 to 10,300,000 bales, Sully had estimated it at 9,500,000, or thereabouts. May sold down from 14,30c to 12,75c, July from 14,23c to 12,75c, July from 16,25c, July

thety later. On reports of a failure in Bremen, the market broke violently after 2 o'clock, May selling at 13c and July af 13.65c. It continued weak and closed at the lowest prices of the day. Another session of the court will be held next Saturday to further consider the matter with Judge Ferriss.

Consider Changing Route of Clayton

Clyde Le Force Acquirico.

Clyde Le Force of No. 5 North Jefferson avenue was discharged in the Dayton Street Police Court yesterday of a charge of disturbing the peace of Charles K. Harris, a conductor of a Deimar avenue car. They had trouble last Wednesday about a transfer and Le Force was arrested.